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SUBJECT: MEDIA HANDLING OF ADACHI REMARK

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AS REPORTED REFTEL, KYODO NEWS SERVICE REPORTED MARCH 3 THE REMARK ATTRIBUTED TO SENIOR TANAKA FACTION AND LDP LOWER HOUSE MEMBER TOKURO ADACHI TO EFFECT THAT USG "MADE FOOL OF JAPAN" BY APPOINTING AS ENVOY TO JAPAN A MAN CONNECTED WITH LOCKHEED. ADACHI REMARK WAS CARRIED IN LATE MARCH 3 EVENING EDITIONS OF VERNACULAR TOKYO SHIMBUN AND NIHON KEIZAI SHIMBUN, BUT NOT IN EVENING TELEVISION NEWSCASTS. IT ALSO APPEARED IN MARCH 4 ENGLISH LANGUAGE MAINICHI AND YOMIURI NEWSPAPERS AND IN VERNACULAR MAINICHI PAGE TWO POLITICAL GOSSIP COLUMN. SHOESMITH

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